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## A. CLASSIFICATION OF SUBJECT MATTER

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## B. FIELDS SEARCHED

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Electronic data base consulted during the international search (name of data base and, where practicable, search terms used)

DWPI: Fluid, water, liquid, steam, heat, hot, temperature, Fahrenheit, Celsius, degree, valve, flow, control, regulate, restrict, adjust, maintain, limit, constant, same, steady, outlet, nozzle, weed, ant, nest, pest, vermin, kill, eradicate, clear, wand, gun, hand, portable and similar terms

## C. DOCUMENTS CONSIDERED TO BE RELEVANT

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X	DE 3520146 A (HOLZER) 11 December 1986 Whole document and Derwent abstract equivalent -Accession no. 86-332833/51, class Q42	1
X	FR 2601719 A (VALEO) 22 January 1988 Whole document and Derwent abstract equivalent accession no 88-072778/11, class Q51	1
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